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Lt. Governor Peter Kinder Announces New Program to Fight Financial Exploitation of Elderly and Disabled

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Jefferson City- Missouri Lieutenant Governor Peter Kinder joined the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, the Missouri Attorney General's office, AARP, and representatives from various Missouri financial institutions on Thursday Morning to announce the start of MOSAFE. MOSAFE is a new program created by the Department of Health and Senior Services that is aimed at training staff at financial institutions how to better recognize and help prevent ID theft and financial exploitation of seniors and the disabled.

"I believe MOSAFE can have a real impact in the lives of our seniors and disabled citizens", said Kinder. He added, "MOSAFE will help all of us to stop heartless criminals from preying on our most vulnerable citizens."

Lieutenant Governor Kinder will be involved in the distribution and promotion of the MOSAFE program across Missouri in the coming months. The Lieutenant Governor serves as the Official Senior Advocate for the State of Missouri.